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LT To polish and publish a modern retelling of Romeo and Juliet

On other day in Verona's best training ground, the two rival Football teams, the Montagues and the Capulets were again involved in another pathetic battle. The two best players from the team collided when they were warming up before the match to find out who the best team was to hopefully stop all arguments between the Montagues and Capulets. This was another pointless argument about who was the best team in all of Verona that had so far included the Montagues popping the Capulets' balls, the Capulets injuring the Montagues' players and swapping Footballs for rugby balls. Immediately Prince Escalus posted on his Verona Book that he didn't want any more arguments or he would stop both teams from playing football!

As time past, the Prince of Verona held a team of the month award ceremony in the most beautiful palace in Verona. It was filled with golden chandeliers, the walls were made of diamond and the floors were made of golden marble. They all laughed when Prince Escalus announced the best team; it was the Capulets. Smiling happily they bounced around exhausted after screaming and shouting. After an afternoon of crying, the Montagues still went to the Capulets' after party to celebrate the victory of the Capulets. Suddenly, Romeo's eyes glanced straight at the one person that stood out to him, Juliet. As soon as he saw this perfect princess he knew they were perfect for each other he danced over and they agreed that they should definitely get married immediately.

Later that day, the secret wedding had arrived when Friar Lawrence had married Romeo and Juliet. Not long after, when Romeo was strolling through the streets of Verona all of a sudden Tybalt emerged from nowhere a happily chuckled, "Ha ha we are the best team of Verona."

Romeo replied, "Don't make me furious because I don't want to fight you Tybalt." Carefully Romeo tipped toeed away making sure Tybalt and his team couldn't see him. Mercutio was livid and shouted, "I will fight you, you black hearted beast!"

"Do you want a go you dreadful Montague!" Tybalt answered. The two men fought all afternoon until Tybalt Juliet's cousin killed Mercutio. As soon as Romeo found out about this news that his friend was dead he hurried to find Tybalt and viciously threw a boot at him. The prince of Verona found out about this news and banished Romeo from Verona.

Meanwhile, Juliet and Friar Lawrence started working on a potion to make Juliet appear dead for forty two hours because her parents were forcing her to marry Paris. Friar Lawrence was desperate to help his friend they began working on the scheme to save Romeo and Juliet. Suddenly his brain finally switched on and he came up with an idea. He sprinkled some crushed sleeping tablets into Juliet's mouth. He exclaimed, "If you eat this you will appear dead for 42 hours."

Juliet replied, "Okay don't forget to tell Romeo this plan." Before Juliet fell asleep Friar Lawrence replied, "I won't forget."

Not long after, Lord and Lady Capulet realised that Juliet didn't awake for breakfast this morning. Obviously her parents slowly walked up the soft carpeted stairs and into their daughter's chamber. To their devastation they discovered that their beautiful daughter had passed away. They wailed in sorrow and wished for her back. Immediately they transported Juliet to the Capulet tomb where Romeo's personal assistant Balthazar was rustling in the bushes to observe this event. Instantly he got straight in his Ferrari and drove to Romeo to tell him this devastating news. As soon as Romeo heard this devastating

news he angrily shouted, "If she is dead then I will be as well!" At the same time Friar Lawrence sat down with a strange feeling that there was something he should have done.

After that, Romeo arrived at the Capulet tomb where his lover was lying in her coffin looking lifeless. Sobbing he kissed her for the last time. At that moment, Romeo took his last breath then drank the poison and fell to his death. She reached for Romeo's dagger and inserted it into her heart. All of a sudden Juliet saw her hus soulless body. The two tragic lovers were now happy in heaven. The prince of Verona blamed the two families and declaring, "For never was a story of more woe, than of Juliet and her Romeo."